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Interview Summary

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(1) Rabon Sergent.

(3) _____.

(2) Kathleen Gross.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 27 January 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 2-4, 6-10, and 18-24.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Ms. Gross indicated that the 35 USC 112, second paragraph rejection would be addressed by means of amendment and that further argument indicating how "dihydroxyvalkylene" is supported would be supplied to address the 35 USC 112, first paragraph rejection.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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